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FOR SECRETARY FROM MURPHY

E.O. 11652: GDS

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SUBJECT: LEBANON

REF: STATE 111175

1. KING HUSSEIN ARRIVED HERE THIS MORNING FOR VISIT WHICH ACCORDING JORDANIAN AMBASSADOR MAY LAST TWO FULL DAYS. I THEREFORE HAVE CONVEYED LEBANESE POINTS REFTEL TO DAOUDI VIA PRESIDENT'S PRIVATE SECRETARY AT 1400 LOCAL MAY 8 DESCRIBING THEM AS ROUTINE REPORT ON BROWN'S ACTIVITIES. (DAOUDI UNAVAILABLE TO MEET ME TODAY BECAUSE OF HUSSEIN VISIT BUT PRIVATE SECRETARY ASSURED ME POINTS WOULD REACH PRESIDENT THROUGH DAOUDI THIS AFTERNOON.)

2. WILL MEET WITH DAOUDI SUNDAY MORNING AT 1030 LOCAL AND WOULD APPRECIATE ANY FURTHER UPDATE BY THEN IF POSSIBLE. BY THAT TIME EXPECT HAVE REPRESENTATIVE SAMPLING SYRIAN OFFICIAL OPINION ABOUT JUST ANNOUNCED SUCCESSFUL ELECTION OF LEBANESE PRESIDENT.
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